

Hawaiian Gazette.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, January 14.—Last 24 Hours' Rainfall, .00.
Temperature, Max. 74; Min. 64. Weather, fair.

SUGAR.—96 Degree Centrifugals, 3.73c. Per Ton, \$74.60.
88 Analysis Beets, 10c. 2 1/4 d. Per Ton, \$63.00.

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JUDGE KEPOIKAI MUST GET OUT

Bonaparte Demands the Resignation of Maui Judge.

Wailuku, Maui, Jan. 13, 1909.
Dear Sir: I regret very much to have to inform you that Judge Kepoikai received a cable this morning from Attorney General Bonaparte asking him to forward his resignation.

EDMUND H. HART.

The above is one of two or three letters received in this city yesterday from Edmund Hart, clerk of Judge Kepoikai's court. Up to yesterday afternoon Kepoikai had not resigned, but unless he does so promptly, it is presumed that Washington will act further.

It is reported from Washington in responsible letters, that the cause of Attorney General Bonaparte's summary action was not so much the evidence sent from Maui about the Japanese heirs as a statement made by Judge Kepoikai to certain litigants that cases would be expedited in his court by the employment of a favorite lawyer.

Hon. W. O. Smith said last evening that he had been notified of the demand made upon Kepoikai by the Attorney General. As to the Judge having previously written his resignation, Mr. Smith said that the statement was an error, due to the fact that Judge Kepoikai had written a letter to Governor Frear saying that if it should be deemed necessary or desirable that there should be a change in the office, he would request that he be afforded an opportunity to resign. At the same time he made full explanation of all the circumstances and made statements which he thought were sufficient justification or explanation of his action.

Two Candidates for Vacancy.

E. A. C. Long, Representative from the Fourth District, has announced his candidacy for the Circuit Judgeship to be vacated by Kepoikai. Mr. Long's name was presented to Governor Frear by Delegate Kuhio and he has heard that the Governor spoke encouragingly about it.

The name of Judge Kingsbury has been generally coupled with the expected vacancy and advices from Washington have made it seem probable that he would get the place. It is thought that the Governor left a recommendation on file with the President.

KAIMUKITES PLEDGE SUPPORT TO CAMPBELL

The Kaimuki Improvement Club, at a well-attended meeting at the residence of A. F. Cooke last night, passed a resolution pledging the individual members to get in behind Superintendent of Public Works Marston Campbell and assist him in getting the Legislature to approve of his thoroughly worked out waterworks system for Honolulu. In addition, the club instructed its secretary to communicate with the other improvement clubs of the city and urge action on their part.

The specific object of last night's meeting was to have Mr. Campbell explain what he proposed doing for the Kaimuki water system, but was enlarged in its scope by the Superintendent going into the details of what he wanted for the whole city, a plan in which Kaimuki will share beneficially with all the other portions of Honolulu.

Mr. Campbell explained what his Kaimuki new reservoir project was and made a big hit when he stated that he was going to have this matter taken up if possible as an emergency affair and the appropriation made available for immediate use. The proposed reservoir is to be eighty-five feet wide and thirty-six feet deep and will be put at an elevation within a few feet high enough to supply the mortar battery on Diamond Head.

It had been hoped by the club members that L. Tenney Peck, of the Rapid Transit company, would also be at last night's meeting to explain what the people of Kaimuki might expect from the street car company, but Mr. Peck was absent.

GOVERNMENT OWES MR. STAYTON MONEY

The accounts of Asst. Postmaster Stayton, which have been under investigation for a few days, were made up yesterday and the Government found itself with more money than it was entitled to. The accounts overbalanced in its favor. This frees the young man of all suspicion, if any ever existed, of his having robbed the government and leaves him to answer the one charge of opening official letters. Sympathy for Mr. Stayton is very general.



JUDGE KEPOIKAI.

THINGS THE SKIPPERS WANT

Masters and Pilots Will Have Twelve Petitions to Urge at Washington.

A set of twelve petitions, which has been forwarded to the convention of Grand Harbor Officers, who meet in convention this month at Washington, coming from the local harbor of the American Association of Masters and Pilots, were read at the Chamber of Commerce meeting on Wednesday. The various things which the local masters and pilots wish to secure from Congress, through their Grand Harbor are:

At Kahului—A fourth order fixed red light on the end of the breakwater; a gas buoy on the outer edge of the Waiehe reef; a gas buoy on the outer edge of the Spartan reef; a gas buoy to replace the starboard outer buoy marking the harbor entrance; the government to take over the present range lights and move them about 450 feet to the westward.

At Keanae, Maui—A suitable light.

At Puniawa, Maui—A suitable light.

At Napili Point, Maui—A fourth order light.

Gas buoys on the following submerged coral reefs: Kamalo reef, to replace the present bell buoy; Blonde reef, Hilo bay; Kaunakakai, to mark the outer edge of the reef; Olowalu reef, marking the turning point to enter Maialaea bay; Pele reef, off south coast of Kauai, the rock on which the steamer Pele was wrecked; Lanai reef, on north side of the island; Maialaea bay outer reef, close to Kihel; Lahaina, to mark the anchorage, to replace the present red lantern; outer edge of the Makaweli reef.

A fourth order light at Hilo harbor, in the neighborhood of Paukua Point.

A first order light at Cape Kumukahi, the most easterly point of Hawaii. Two vessels have already been lost on this point, the barkentine Hilo and the whaler Tamarlane.

A suitable light on the island of Mokuiki.

The installation of the incandescent oil vapor system to the island beacon lights.

Dredging of the Kahului harbor and the extension of the breakwater in a northerly and northwesterly direction along the reef.

Investigation into the special hook in use in the Inter-Island service for lowering and hoisting the boats and legalizing the use of the same.

Legalizing the use of lifeboats without air tanks, experience here having demonstrated that such tanks are not necessary, but an obstacle in the way of the proper handling of the boats at rough landings.

The making of a new survey of the coasts of the Islands by the Coast and Geodetic Survey Department and the preparation of new charts on a scale larger than the present ones, which are drawn one to sixty thousand.

These various petitions were read at the meeting of the trustees of the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday afternoon.

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MOVING WITH THEIR MOUNTS

The Rest of the Cavalry Are Leaving for Leilehua This Morning.

Promptly at 8 o'clock this morning "boots and saddles" will be sounded, horses will be saddled, and the men of the Fifth Cavalry will begin their march to Leilehua, where, for the next two or three years, they will make their home.

It was the original intention to send the men out yesterday, but the work of transferring the equipment from the Thomas to the railway station took so much time that it was found impossible to get away, so the transport was held and the men were left on board for another night.

Everything is ready at Leilehua for the reception of the soldiers, with the exception of the stables. These will not be completed for about two weeks.

As it is required that the cavalry horses remain in quarantine on the picket line for that period, however, the incomplete state of the stables is a matter of little importance.

The stables will be of what is known as the "tropical model." They will be constructed with heavy wooden frames and corrugated iron roofs, but without sides. Curtains of canvas, which can be lowered during wet weather, will furnish ample protection from wind and rain.

The stables are so designed that they can be moved with ease. Thus, when the concrete buildings, which are to constitute the permanent post, are completed, it will be possible to move the stables to such a location as may be decided upon.

All day today the men of the Fifth Cavalry were kept busy transferring.

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JAPANESE PAPER RESPONDS TO ITS ENGLISH CRITICS

The Advertiser, according to the Nippo Jiji, is the organ of the planters and consequently bound to defend that organization against the demands of the Japanese advocates of higher wages, while the Bulletin is a corrupt newspaper and not worthy of answering. Thus the Jiji, yesterday morning, responds to the warnings given by this paper and the advice of the Bulletin.

"Everybody knows the Advertiser is the newspaper of the planters," says the Jiji, "and we do not wonder at its use of deceptive reasoning to run a bluff on us and the higher wage advocates. There is no cause for alarm in this."

"As to the Bulletin, it is a most corrupt paper, and there is no other newspaper in the city which is so corrupt as this sheet, which is the vilest of all."

"It will only impair our dignity to

SUPERVISORS IN TRANQUIL MOOD

Pass Two Resolutions and Are Very Respectful to the Mayor.

The members of the Board of Supervisors yesterday evinced a great curiosity as to the Mayor's attitude towards their appropriation bill, which is before him for his approval or veto. The Mayor allowed them to worry until the end of the meeting, when he announced that he would let them know what he thought about it either today or tomorrow. As today is the regular payday of the municipal employees and there is no money in sight, nor will be until either the Mayor or the majority makes the bill law, the curiosity is justified.

Yesterday's meeting was a tranquil one, no fewer than two resolutions going through with a unanimous vote and being passed up for the scrutiny of the Chief Executive. These are the resolutions giving the United States a right-of-way for a railroad line down Saratoga avenue and authorizing the Mayor to sign a lease for the city offices.

Deputy City Attorney Milverton reminded the Mayor that there was a matter of unfinished business before the board, that being the request made to the Mayor by the City Clerk for authority to employ an office force, which the Mayor only is allowed to bring to the attention of the board. His Honor quipped the Deputy by stating very calmly that this would be unfinished business when he was ready to present it but was not business at all until he had. In this connection it is stated that the Clerk is employing unauthorized help, although his staff has been sanctioned by the Supervisorial majority.

The Municipal Act allows the Clerk one assistant, but states that other assistants can only be employed after the Mayor has looked into the requirements of the office and made recommendations to the board, when five members can allow the appointments. As Mr. Kalauekalanani announced his list without first consulting the Mayor, his staff, with the exception of Buffandau, is working without warrant. The staff at present consists of a chief clerk, a clerk, a stenographer and typewriter and a typewriter. As Supervisor Quinn has already expressed himself in favor of cutting down this force, it is probable that the Mayor will koku the cut and ask Kalauekalanani to get along with one less man.

The board will meet this evening at half past seven, when the appropriation bill will be the main matter of consideration, if the Mayor returns it.

CHILD'S CLOTHING BURNS WITH SERIOUS RESULTS

While attempting to kindle a fire in a little cookstove Santa Claus has brought her, little Katie Birt, the daughter of Mrs. J. W. Birt, of King street, set fire to her clothing yesterday afternoon and is now in a bad condition as the result of the burns inflicted upon her body. No one was with the child at the time of the accident, the attention of her mother being first attracted by the screams of the little one as she ran towards her, her clothing flaming, fanned into further intensity by the struggles of the sufferer. The mother beat out the flames and sent at once for medical assistance.

The family physician dressed the several large burns, mainly on the arms and chest of the child. He reports that the little one will recover.

Senator C. H. Dickey entertained members of the G. A. R. to the number of about twelve on Monday evening, serving them with a genuine old army dinner, for which they are grateful. After the repast, the soldiers indulged in reminiscences of the past, each one telling some story of his experiences in the Civil War.

TRENOR THINKS HE CAN OBTAIN LEGISLATION

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

NEW YORK, January 15.—Special Agent Trenor believes he can secure the legislation asked for by the Hawaiian Immigration Board at the present session of Congress.

PITTSBURG, January 12.—President Cameron Tube of the city railroad has been convicted of attempting to bribe a city councilman.

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 12.—The Turkish government has consented to accept \$10,000,000 as indemnity from Austria for the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

SACRAMENTO, January 12.—U. S. Senator George Perkins was today reelected by the State Legislature.

BOISE, Idaho, January 12.—U. S. Senator Heyburn was today reelected.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 12.—Patrick J. Calhoun, president of the United Railways, and one of the social and financial leaders of the city, was today placed on trial for bribery of the City Supervisors. Judge Lawlor is presiding, and Francis J. Heney is conducting the prosecution.

WASHINGTON, January 12.—Senator Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio today charged President Roosevelt and ex-Secretary of War Taft with having made illegal use of public funds to pay for private detectives. The specific instance he cited was in connection with the Brownsville case, when negro soldiers were dishonorably discharged. The Senate has requested a statement of the expenditure of the emergency fund at the disposal of executive officers.

TOKIO, January 13.—Japanese feeling has been stirred against the United States because of the anti-Japanese bills before the California legislature. Leading newspapers express surprise at such evidence of unfriendliness after the sincere efforts Japan has made to prove its friendship. The situation has become embarrassing to American residents.

AUGUSTA, Maine, January 13.—Secretary Wm. Hayward will succeed Frank H. Hitchcock as Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

NEW YORK, January 13.—Wm. Carvalho, manager of the Hearst newspapers, and two others, have been found guilty of libeling John D. Rockefeller.

OLYMPIA, Washington, January 13.—M. F. Goss has been appointed to the Supreme Court in place of Root, who was elected, but refused to qualify.

BLUEFIELD, West Virginia, January 13.—One hundred persons have been killed by an explosion in a coal mine.

LOS ANGELES, January 13.—The Burbank State Bank was dynamited today and \$300 taken.

SURE, California, January 13.—The lumber steamer Sybil Marston is ashore here. Two of the crew are lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 13.—The work of securing a jury to try President Calhoun of the United Railways for bribery began today. No jurors were accepted.

BOSTON, January 13.—Prof. Abbott Lowell has been elected president of Harvard College to succeed the venerable President Eliot, resigned.

ROME, January 13.—Slight shocks of earthquake were felt this morning in Lombardy, Venezia, and Tuscany. The severest shock was near Venice. No damage was done, but the people were panic-stricken. The earthquake's center is in Saxony.

VIENNA, January 14.—There have been slight shocks of earthquake in Southern Austria and the Tyrol. No damage was done.

PEKING, January 14.—The government has donated \$35,000 to the Italian relief fund.

WASHINGTON, January 14.—Yesterday the President rode ninety-eight miles on horseback in seventeen hours to prove the justice of the order requiring a hard riding test for army officers. He used up four horses.

WASHINGTON, January 14.—Officers of the Marine Corps are appearing before the Naval House Committee to combat the order removing marines from ships. The fleet commanders have cabled their approval of the order.

INDIANAPOLIS, Indiana, January 14.—B. F. Shively defeated J. W. Kern for the Senatorship on the twentieth ballot.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 14.—Senator Tillman today again made a demand for a full investigation of the charges in the matter of the alleged Oregon land frauds.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 14.—Two talesmen have been temporarily passed as jurors to try President Calhoun of the United Railways for alleged bribery.

NEW YORK, January 14.—Earl Gronard and Beatrice Mills, daughter of Ogden Mills, were married in this city today.

MALTA, January 14.—U. S. S. Kearsarge and U. S. S. Wisconsin arrived here today.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 14.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani of the Hawaiian Islands today appeared before the Claims Committee of the House of Representatives to press crown land indemnity claims growing out of the taking over of the Islands by this government. The former monarch of Hawaii was accompanied by Prince Kuhio, Delegate to Congress from the Territory of Hawaii, and Princess Kalaniana'ole, the Delegate's wife. Judge Francis M. Hatch presented an argument on behalf of Liliuokalani, asking for a quarter of a million dollars in full settlement of the Queen's claims. During Judge Hatch's presentation of this proposition the Queen had nothing to say, though she nodded approval of Judge Hatch's argument.

SACRAMENTO, January 15.—A railroad bridge has been washed out here and Eastern traffic stopped.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 14.—Heavy rains have fallen throughout the entire State and floods are threatened in many sections.

ROME, January 15.—Yesterday the King gave an audience to Rear Admiral Sperry.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 15.—Admiral Rojestvensky is dead.

MESSINA, January 15.—The U. S. battleship Illinois has arrived here, and the Onagoa has left for Naples.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., January 15.—Attell knocked out Weeks in the tenth round.

VESEPRIM, Hungary, January 15.—Two hundred men have been entombed by a mine explosion.

FLUSHING, January 15.—The Hains jury is out.

WAIMEA BREAKWATER WILL BE EXTENDED

Superintendent of Public Works Marston Campbell is going ahead with the preparation for the extension of Waimea breakwater, and this morning advertisements will be out calling for bids on the work. This extension has been in contemplation for some time past by the department, but has been

somewhat held back by the lack of necessary funds to complete the work.

Campbell has looked into the proposition personally within the past few months. The work there will call for an expenditure of about \$30,000, while the Department of Public Works has only \$12,000 at the present time. The Legislature will be asked to make up the deficiency at the coming session, and the request will probably be granted.

In the meantime, the work will be carried as far forward as possible with the money at hand.